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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2004 (Paper No. 3) and is being filed within the first month of extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.13(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). A Petition for Extension of Time to and including September 20, 2004 (September 19, 2004 being a Sunday) is filed herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and includes attached replacement sheets showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 9 of this paper.